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The accompanying extract from the Press Communiqué issued by the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands regarding the sailing of pilgrim ships during the next Haj seasons, is published for the information of intending Haj pilgrims from the Mysore State.

By Order,
R. RANGA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.

Press Communiqué, dated the 23rd—24th November 1931 of the Department of Health, Education and Lands of the Government of India, New Delhi.

At a Meeting of the Standing Committee on Pilgrimage to the Hejaz held at Simla on the 12th and 13th September 1931, the representative of Messrs. Turner, Morrison & Co., Limited, Bombay, promised that his company would announce by the end of November, 1931, at the latest, a ship to sail on an approximate date after Ramzan from each of the three ports of Bombay, Karachi and Calcutta, and would publish as early as possible a provisional programme of sailings of pilgrim ships prior to Ramzan. In accordance with the undertaking given by their representative, the Company have now decided to announce the following probable sailings after the month of Ramzan:—

From Bombay.—S. S. "Khosrou" or other steamer, to sail from Bombay to Jeddah direct not later than the 22nd February 1932.

From Karachi.—S. S. "Khosrou" or other steamer to sail from Karachi to Jeddah direct not later than the 22nd February 1932.

From Calcutta.—S. S. "Rizwani" or other steamer to sail from Calcutta to Jeddah direct not later than the 20th February 1932.

The announcement is provisional. The Company will make every effort to keep to the programme but retain the liberty to make such alterations and adjustments in it as appear necessary.